

Product Overview

The CO₂-UNIT-3L is a digital Air/CO₂ blender which delivers gas with an adjustable CO₂ concentration in the range 0-15% and an adjustable flow rate in the range 0.5-3.0 l/min.

The CO₂-UNIT-3L can be employed to control CO₂ concentration inside any semi-sealed container whose volume does not exceed 2 liters.

The desired CO₂ concentration and total output flow rate is determined by controlling the flowrates of CO₂ and Air. The device is equipped with a CO₂ sensor to measure the concentration of the output gas and to provide feedback to adjust CO₂ and Air flow rates.

If compressed Air is not available, the CO₂-UNIT-3L can be connected to OKO-AP-3L. OKO-AP-3L is an air pump with tunable flow rate in the range 0-3 l/min, powered and operated via CO₂-UNIT-3L, it allows to use background Air to feed the CO₂-UNIT-3L.



Technical Specifications

CO₂-UNIT-3L

Operation mode	Adds CO ₂ to Air
CO ₂ Concentration Range	0-15%
CO ₂ Accuracy	0.1%
Total Flow rate	0.5-3 NL/min
Outlet Pressure	Ambient
CO ₂ Sensor	Non Dispersive InfraRed (NDIR) dual wave length detector
Sensors Life	10 years
In and Out Gas connectors	6 mm OD push in fittings
Input Gas	CO ₂ at 1-2 bar, Air at 0.3-0.5 barg
Operating Temperature	0-55 °C (23 °C suggested)
Operating Humidity	0-70%
Power Consumption	37 W
Dimensions, mm	200x200x121.5
Weight	3400 g
User interface	i) OKO-TOUCH (touch screen interface); ii) DATALOG (Okolab software); iii) any third party software accessible via SDK.
Filtering device	PTFE membrane with 0.2 µm pores
SDK	Available for download through website
Sensor Calibration modes	i) Comparison with external meter ii) Span Gas
CO ₂ sensor calibration period	1 year

OKO-AP-3L

Flow Rate	0-3 l/min
OKO-AP-3L Dimensions	180x107x101 mm
OKO-AP-3L Weight	1100 g

Spare Parts

Product	Spare part type	Spare part code	Frequency of replacement
CO ₂ -UNIT-3L	Pump	CO ₂ -UNIT-3L-2-SP-PUMP	Every 9,000 hours (~ 1year) of usage
CO ₂ -UNIT-3L	0.2 micron filter	MPF	Every 6 months of usage
CO ₂ -UNIT-3L	Fuses	FS1 2.5A FF FS2 1.5A FF	In case of malfunction
CO ₂ -UNIT-3L	CO ₂ valve	CO ₂ -UNIT-3L-2-SP-CO ₂ -VALVE	In case of malfunction
CO ₂ -UNIT-3L	Air valve	CO ₂ -UNIT-3L-2-SP-AIR-VALVE	In case of malfunction
OKO-AP-3L (optional)	Pump	OKO-AP-3L-SP	Every 9,000 hours (~ 1year) of usage

Laboratory Setup

Figure 1 shows a typical laboratory setup for CO₂-UNIT-3L, with reference to the objects highlighted by the pointers we have: 1) Controller; 2) PTFE filter (x2); 3) TUBE A (x3); 4) Pressure Gauge for Air + regulator (scale 0.0-2.0 bar)+ assembly stirrup (x1); 5) Pressure Gauge for CO₂ + regulator (scale 0.0-2.0 bar)+ assembly stirrup (x1); 6) Power feeder and power cord.

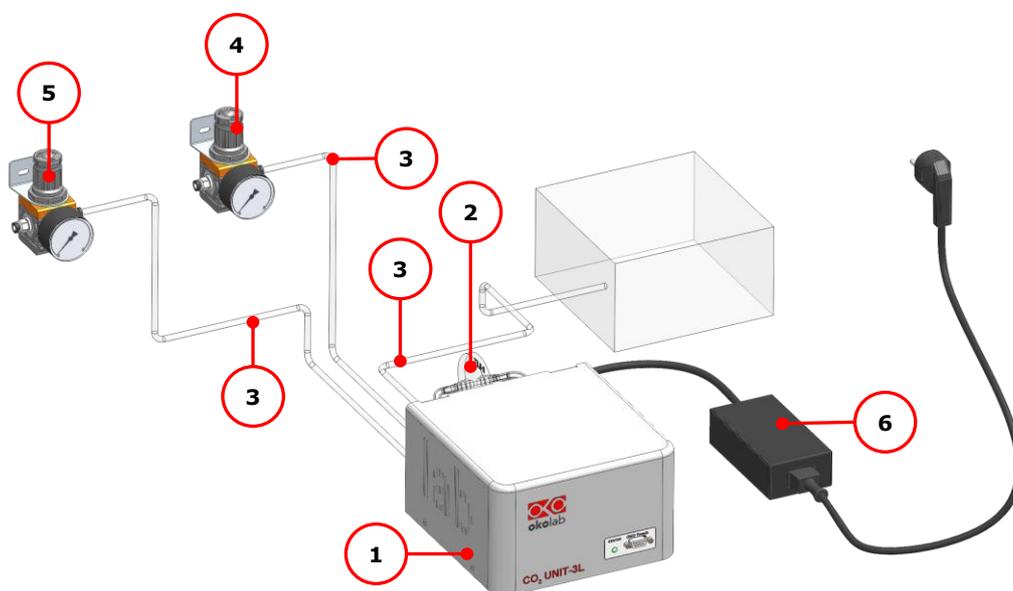


Figure 1 CO₂-UNIT-3L laboratory setup.